

State of Louisiana

Office of Alcohol and Tobacco Control

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LIST OF PARISHES OPTING INTO REVISED PHASE TWO BARS LOCATED IN THESE PARISHES MAY OPEN

In accordance with 168 JBE 2020, no bar, with or without LDH food service certificate, including daiquiri shops, breweries and distilleries with taprooms shall allow for indoor on premise consumption of any food or beverages unless the establishment is located in a parish that has affirmatively opted into the phase. A governing authority of a parish that has a positivity rate of 5% or less for two (2) consecutive week, as determined and published by LDH may choose to affirmatively opt into the revised Phase Two (2) and allow all bars, daiquiri shops, breweries, and distilleries with taprooms to allow on premise consumption under the parameters referenced below. In the event a parish subsequently exceed 5% positivity rate for two consecutive weeks, the parish shall cease all indoor on premise consumption.

Currently, the following parishes have opted into and have been approved to opt into revised Phase Two and thus bars, Class AGs, daiquiri shops, breweries, and distilleries may open and provide indoor tableside on premise consumption:

1. Catahoula Parish
2. Orleans Parish
3. Plaquemines Parish
4. St. Bernard Parish
5. St. Charles Parish
6. St. John the Baptist

Bars not located in above parishes may offer outdoor tableside services only but such service shall not exceed fifty (50) patrons.

Establishments located within the above listed parishes may offer indoor service under the following guidelines:

1. Patrons must be seated for tableside service.
2. Waiting areas shall remain closed and limit groups from congregating.
3. Indoor capacity shall be limited to a 25% occupancy rate or fifty (50) people, whichever is less.
4. Outdoor capacity shall be limited to fifty (50) people and only for tableside service.
5. Tables shall be spaced in accordance with SFM social distancing guidelines.
6. All sale and service of alcoholic beverages must cease at 11 P.M.
7. Establishment must close at 11 PM.
8. No person under the age of twenty-one (21) shall be allowed on to the premises.
9. Indoor live entertainment including live bands, dancing, or live performances remain prohibited
10. Outdoor live entertainment allowed if conducted within SFM guidelines.
11. Bar games, including but not limited to pool, darts, shuffleboard and cornhole, are prohibited

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It is crucial that businesses review and adhere to all guidelines including mandatory mask requirements, live entertainment rules, and strict social distancing rules issued by Governor Edwards, the Office of the State Fire Marshal ("SFM") and the Louisiana Department of Health ("LDH"). For specific guidelines and resources, please visit www.opensafely.la.gov.

ATC remains committed to serving the public and appreciates the patience that permit-holders have exhibited. We look forward to the day when the State returns to normal operations. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact ATC at 225-925-4041.

Sincerely,

Ernest P. Legier, Jr., Commissioner
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